

## Interview Summary

**Application No.**

10/758,973

**Applicant(s)**

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**Examiner**

Michael J. Feely

**Art Unit**

1796

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Michael J. Feely.

(3) \_\_\_\_\_.

(2) Benjamin Armitage (Reg. No. 57,213).

(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 01 July 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 26, 39, 41, 83, 89, 95, 119, 134, 145 and 146.

Identification of prior art discussed: n/a.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The above-mentioned claims were previously indicated as allowable. Mr. Armitage provided a proposal, putting these claims in independent form. These independent claims were drafted to include all of the limitations of the base claim(s) and any intervening claim(s). The Examiner reviewed the proposal, and the claims looked acceptable. The one exception was claim 95, which should limited to adding a rare earth compound (additional additives optional).

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Michael J Feely/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1796

Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.